## Vega, New York

Reviewed yesterday

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### Great mains, pity about the chips

Came for lunch with my sister. We loved our Thai-style mains which were amazing with lots of flavour, very impressive for a vegetarian restaurant.

But the service was below average, and the chips were too terrible to finish.

When we arrived at 1.40, we had to wait 20 minutes while they got our table ready. OK, so we didn't have a reservation, but the restaurant was only half full. There was no reason to make us wait at all.

We ordered the chips as a side dish and they looked delicious. But, when we tasted them, they were overcooked and swimming in oil so we left most of them. We expected a lot more for $10!

When the waiter asked if everything was OK, we said we really didn't like the chips and he said 'That's funny, I love them' and that was it. He didn't offer us anything else or take them off our bill. Also, when we didn't leave a tip, he looked annoyed.

I was really excited about visiting Vega, and the mains were just fantastic, but the rest of the experience was really disappointing.

Choose the correct answer.

1. The review overall is ...
    a. very positive.
    b. partly positive, partly negative.
    c. very negative.
2. When they arrived at the restaurant, the problem was ...
    a. they had to wait.
    b. they didn't have a reservation.
    c. the restaurant was already full.
3. The best thing was ...
    a. the service.
    b. the side dish.
    c. the mains.
4. The chips were ...
    a. delicious.
    b. overcooked and oily.
    c. more than $10.
5. They didn't leave a tip because the waiter was ...
    a. annoying.
    b. slow.
    c. unhelpful.

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